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NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 16, 364 and 365 of the Sikkim Municipalities Act, 2007 (5 of 2007), the State Government hereby makes the following rules, to amend the Sikkim Municipalities (Election of Mayor and Deputy Mayor of Municipal Corporation, Municipal Chairperson and Municipal Vice-Chairperson of Municipal Council, Municipal President and Municipal Vice-President of Nagar Panchayat and Members of Executive Authority in the Municipalities and the Manner of Convening Meetings) Rules,2007, namely:-

Short title and commencement

1. (1). These rules may be called the Sikkim Municipalities (Election of Mayor and Deputy Mayor of Municipal Corporation, Municipal Chairperson and Municipal Vice-Chairperson of Municipal Council, Municipal President and Municipal Vice-President of Nagar Panchayat and Members of Executive Authority in the Municipalities and the Manner of Convening Meetings) Rules, 2010.

(2.) They shall extend to the whole of Sikkim.

(3).They shall come into force at once.

Amendment of rule 3.

2. In the Sikkim Municipalities (Election of Mayor and Deputy Mayor of Municipal Corporation, Municipal Chairperson and Municipal Vice-Chairperson of Municipal Council, Municipal President and Municipal Vice-President of Nagar Panchayat and Members of Executive Authority in the Municipalities and the Manner of Convening Meetings) Rules, 2007, (hereinafter referred to as the said rules, in sub rule (2) of rule 3,-

1. after the word, "oath of office", the words and figure "the elected members of Municipal Corporation, Municipal Council and Nagar Panchayat shall take oath of affirmation in the form prescribed at FORM I" shall be inserted,
2. for the existing words and figure "Form I" the words, figure and alphabet "FORM I A" shall be substituted.

Insertion of new FORM I 3. In the said rules, the following new Form I shall be inserted, namely:-

FORM I

FORM OF OATH OF AFFIRMATION

(See Section 16)

I _____ having been elected a member of _____ (indicate the Name of Municipal Corporation, Municipal Council or Nagar Panchayat) do swear in the name of God/ solemnly affirm that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of India as by law established and that I will faithfully discharge the duty upon which I am about to enter.

(Signature and name of the candidate in block letter)

Sworn in the name of God/solemnly affirmed by Shri/Shrimati _____ at _____ (place) at _____ ! (hour) this the _____ day of _____ 2010.

**Signature of authorized person
Name, Designation and seal.**

Certificate for receipt of Oath

(To be handed over to the candidate by the authorized person)

Certified that _____ (name) a candidate elected to the _____ Municipal Corporation/Municipal Council/Nagar Panchayat has made and subscribed the oath/affirmation as required by the Constitution of India before me at my office at _____ (hour) on _____ (date).

Date:

**(Signature of authorized person)
Name, Designation and seal.**

Substitution of FORM I 4. In the said rules, for the existing words and figure "FORM I" the words figure and alphabet "FORM I A" shall be substituted.

**COMMISSIONER-CUM-SECRETARY,
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